

RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HIALEAH, FLORIDA, APPROVING THE EXPENDITURE TOTALING AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$11,585.00 FROM THE LAW ENFORCEMENT TRUST FUND - *STATE*, TO PURCHASE FIVE HUNDRED TASER CARTRIDGES FROM DGG TASER AND TACTICAL SUPPLY, A SOLE SOURCE VENDOR, UPON SUCH COSTS HAVING BEEN APPROVED BY THE CHIEF OF POLICE.

**WHEREAS**, the Hialeah Police Department deploys the Taser system to provide Hialeah police officers with a less lethal response to the physical resistance they often encounter while performing their law enforcement duties; and

**WHEREAS**, to continue this successful officer safety program, the Hialeah Police Department must purchase an additional five hundred taser cartridges, which would fulfill the objective of providing every sworn member of the Hialeah Police Department with a taser; and

**WHEREAS**, this equipment is the only system currently tested and approved for use, rendering DGG Taser a sole source vendor for the tasers and accessories; and

**WHEREAS**, the funds to cover these necessary and legitimate expenses are available in the Law Enforcement Trust Fund - *State*; and

**WHEREAS**, the Chief of Police has recommended adoption of this resolution and determined that the proposed expenditure complies with Florida Statutes.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HIALEAH, FLORIDA, THAT:

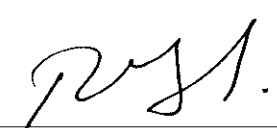
**Section 1.** The Mayor and the City Council of the City of Hialeah, Florida approve the expenditure of an amount not to exceed \$11,585.00 from the Law Enforcement Trust Fund –

State to purchase five hundred Taser cartridges from DGG Taser, a sole source vendor, upon such costs having been approved by the Chief of Police.

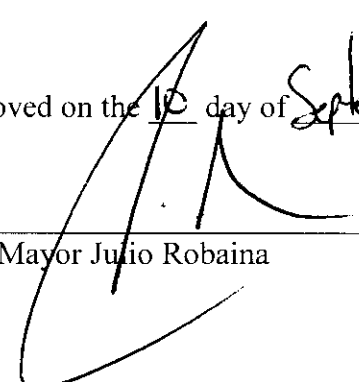
PASSED AND ADOPTED this 9th day of September, 2008.

  
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Esteban Bovo  
Council President

Attest:

  
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Rafael E. Granado, City Clerk

Approved on the 10 day of September, 2008.

  
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Mayor Julio Robaina

Approved as to legal sufficiency and form:

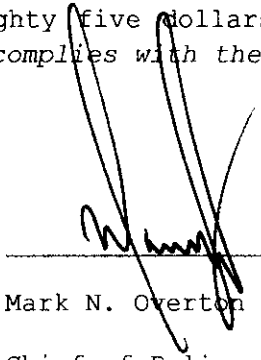
  
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William M. Grodnick, City Attorney

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Resolution was adopted by a unanimous vote with Councilmembers Bovo, Caragol, Casals-Muñoz, Garcia-Martinez, Gonzalez, Hernandez, and Yedra voting "Yes".

**AFFIDAVIT**

I, Mark N. Overton, Chief of Police, Hialeah Police Department, do hereby certify that the aforementioned request to expend funds from account #105.1000.521.526 L.E.T.F. State in a total amount not to exceed eleven thousand five hundred and eighty five dollars (\$11,585.00) to cover the cost of 500 taser air cartridges, complies with the Guide to Equitable Sharing.

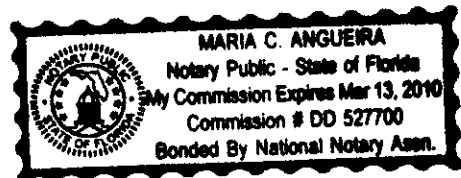
  
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Mark N. Overton  
Chief of Police

Sworn to and subscribed before me this \_\_\_\_ day of August, 2008

(Notary Seal)

Signature of Notary Public, State of Florida

  
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